

1. Factor the polynomial below completely. Then, choose the intervals the zeros of the polynomial belong to, where  $z_1 \leq z_2 \leq z_3$ . *To make the problem easier, all zeros are between -5 and 5.*

$$f(x) = 9x^3 - 21x^2 - 14x + 40$$

- A.  $z_1 \in [-1.38, -0.8]$ ,  $z_2 \in [1.53, 1.81]$ , and  $z_3 \in [1.79, 2.07]$   
B.  $z_1 \in [-5.06, -4.9]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-2.45, -1.94]$ , and  $z_3 \in [0.12, 0.65]$   
C.  $z_1 \in [-2.51, -1.83]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-0.61, -0.47]$ , and  $z_3 \in [0.65, 1]$   
D.  $z_1 \in [-1.15, -0.16]$ ,  $z_2 \in [0.22, 0.94]$ , and  $z_3 \in [1.79, 2.07]$   
E.  $z_1 \in [-2.51, -1.83]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-1.7, -1.2]$ , and  $z_3 \in [1.02, 1.56]$
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2. Perform the division below. Then, find the intervals that correspond to the quotient in the form  $ax^2 + bx + c$  and remainder  $r$ .

$$\frac{8x^3 + 28x^2 - 39}{x + 3}$$

- A.  $a \in [3, 15]$ ,  $b \in [2, 7]$ ,  $c \in [-16, -7]$ , and  $r \in [-7, 5]$ .  
B.  $a \in [-28, -22]$ ,  $b \in [98, 105]$ ,  $c \in [-302, -297]$ , and  $r \in [859, 863]$ .  
C.  $a \in [3, 15]$ ,  $b \in [-7, 1]$ ,  $c \in [13, 19]$ , and  $r \in [-105, -99]$ .  
D.  $a \in [-28, -22]$ ,  $b \in [-49, -43]$ ,  $c \in [-136, -131]$ , and  $r \in [-440, -428]$ .  
E.  $a \in [3, 15]$ ,  $b \in [51, 53]$ ,  $c \in [153, 159]$ , and  $r \in [428, 432]$ .
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3. Perform the division below. Then, find the intervals that correspond to the quotient in the form  $ax^2 + bx + c$  and remainder  $r$ .

$$\frac{20x^3 + 72x^2 + 28x - 20}{x + 3}$$

- A.  $a \in [-68, -56]$ ,  $b \in [-109, -105]$ ,  $c \in [-301, -291]$ , and  $r \in [-908, -906]$ .  
B.  $a \in [16, 24]$ ,  $b \in [-10, -7]$ ,  $c \in [58, 62]$ , and  $r \in [-260, -257]$ .

- C.  $a \in [-68, -56]$ ,  $b \in [251, 256]$ ,  $c \in [-734, -727]$ , and  $r \in [2164, 2169]$ .  
 D.  $a \in [16, 24]$ ,  $b \in [132, 136]$ ,  $c \in [423, 428]$ , and  $r \in [1250, 1260]$ .  
 E.  $a \in [16, 24]$ ,  $b \in [7, 19]$ ,  $c \in [-8, -3]$ , and  $r \in [-1, 8]$ .

4. Factor the polynomial below completely, knowing that  $x + 5$  is a factor. Then, choose the intervals the zeros of the polynomial belong to, where  $z_1 \leq z_2 \leq z_3 \leq z_4$ . *To make the problem easier, all zeros are between -5 and 5.*

$$f(x) = 15x^4 + 11x^3 - 257x^2 + 297x - 90$$

- A.  $z_1 \in [-3.8, -1.7]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-1.96, -1.25]$ ,  $z_3 \in [-1.68, -1.5]$ , and  $z_4 \in [4.1, 6.1]$   
 B.  $z_1 \in [-3.8, -1.7]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-0.82, 0.09]$ ,  $z_3 \in [-0.64, -0.29]$ , and  $z_4 \in [4.1, 6.1]$   
 C.  $z_1 \in [-5.1, -3.6]$ ,  $z_2 \in [1.23, 1.89]$ ,  $z_3 \in [1.46, 1.93]$ , and  $z_4 \in [1.7, 3.8]$   
 D.  $z_1 \in [-3.8, -1.7]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-2.05, -1.98]$ ,  $z_3 \in [-0.45, 0.33]$ , and  $z_4 \in [4.1, 6.1]$   
 E.  $z_1 \in [-5.1, -3.6]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-0.33, 1.48]$ ,  $z_3 \in [0.44, 0.93]$ , and  $z_4 \in [1.7, 3.8]$

5. Factor the polynomial below completely, knowing that  $x + 2$  is a factor. Then, choose the intervals the zeros of the polynomial belong to, where  $z_1 \leq z_2 \leq z_3 \leq z_4$ . *To make the problem easier, all zeros are between -5 and 5.*

$$f(x) = 20x^4 + 103x^3 + 126x^2 - 27x - 54$$

- A.  $z_1 \in [-0.33, 0.04]$ ,  $z_2 \in [1.62, 2.17]$ ,  $z_3 \in [2.32, 3.41]$ , and  $z_4 \in [2.81, 3.25]$   
 B.  $z_1 \in [-3.06, -2.84]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-2.02, -1.92]$ ,  $z_3 \in [-1.34, -0.98]$ , and  $z_4 \in [1.44, 1.82]$   
 C.  $z_1 \in [-3.06, -2.84]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-2.02, -1.92]$ ,  $z_3 \in [-1.15, -0.65]$ , and  $z_4 \in [-0.07, 0.95]$

- D.  $z_1 \in [-1.75, -1.29]$ ,  $z_2 \in [1.23, 1.53]$ ,  $z_3 \in [1.95, 2.57]$ , and  $z_4 \in [2.81, 3.25]$
- E.  $z_1 \in [-0.71, -0.58]$ ,  $z_2 \in [0.64, 1.05]$ ,  $z_3 \in [1.95, 2.57]$ , and  $z_4 \in [2.81, 3.25]$
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6. Perform the division below. Then, find the intervals that correspond to the quotient in the form  $ax^2 + bx + c$  and remainder  $r$ .

$$\frac{15x^3 + 101x^2 + 138x + 45}{x + 5}$$

- A.  $a \in [-75, -72]$ ,  $b \in [475, 477]$ ,  $c \in [-2245, -2240]$ , and  $r \in [11253, 11258]$ .
- B.  $a \in [14, 16]$ ,  $b \in [10, 15]$ ,  $c \in [69, 78]$ , and  $r \in [-389, -378]$ .
- C.  $a \in [14, 16]$ ,  $b \in [174, 179]$ ,  $c \in [1017, 1022]$ , and  $r \in [5131, 5139]$ .
- D.  $a \in [14, 16]$ ,  $b \in [25, 33]$ ,  $c \in [4, 9]$ , and  $r \in [1, 8]$ .
- E.  $a \in [-75, -72]$ ,  $b \in [-279, -271]$ ,  $c \in [-1234, -1227]$ , and  $r \in [-6115, -6111]$ .
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7. Factor the polynomial below completely. Then, choose the intervals the zeros of the polynomial belong to, where  $z_1 \leq z_2 \leq z_3$ . *To make the problem easier, all zeros are between -5 and 5.*

$$f(x) = 8x^3 - 26x^2 - 5x + 50$$

- A.  $z_1 \in [-0.81, -0.3]$ ,  $z_2 \in [0.3, 1.8]$ , and  $z_3 \in [1.68, 2.12]$
- B.  $z_1 \in [-5.59, -4.51]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-2.3, -1.5]$ , and  $z_3 \in [0.41, 0.68]$
- C.  $z_1 \in [-1.3, -1.01]$ ,  $z_2 \in [1.6, 2.8]$ , and  $z_3 \in [2.49, 2.51]$
- D.  $z_1 \in [-2.4, -1.96]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-0.8, -0.2]$ , and  $z_3 \in [0.76, 1.14]$
- E.  $z_1 \in [-2.51, -2.08]$ ,  $z_2 \in [-2.3, -1.5]$ , and  $z_3 \in [1.22, 1.38]$
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8. What are the *possible Rational* roots of the polynomial below?

$$f(x) = 3x^3 + 6x^2 + 2x + 5$$

- A.  $\pm 1, \pm 3$
- B. All combinations of:  $\frac{\pm 1, \pm 3}{\pm 1, \pm 5}$
- C.  $\pm 1, \pm 5$
- D. All combinations of:  $\frac{\pm 1, \pm 5}{\pm 1, \pm 3}$
- E. There is no formula or theorem that tells us all possible Rational roots.

9. Perform the division below. Then, find the intervals that correspond to the quotient in the form  $ax^2 + bx + c$  and remainder  $r$ .

$$\frac{4x^3 - 14x^2 + 21}{x - 3}$$

- A.  $a \in [11, 17], b \in [17, 23], c \in [57, 72]$ , and  $r \in [217, 221]$ .
- B.  $a \in [3, 7], b \in [-6, -4], c \in [-16, -7]$ , and  $r \in [-8, -1]$ .
- C.  $a \in [3, 7], b \in [-3, 1], c \in [-7, -3]$ , and  $r \in [-2, 4]$ .
- D.  $a \in [11, 17], b \in [-55, -47], c \in [150, 152]$ , and  $r \in [-436, -428]$ .
- E.  $a \in [3, 7], b \in [-28, -21], c \in [74, 79]$ , and  $r \in [-215, -210]$ .

10. What are the *possible Integer* roots of the polynomial below?

$$f(x) = 4x^2 + 7x + 7$$

- A.  $\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 4$
- B. All combinations of:  $\frac{\pm 1, \pm 7}{\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 4}$
- C.  $\pm 1, \pm 7$
- D. All combinations of:  $\frac{\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 4}{\pm 1, \pm 7}$
- E. There is no formula or theorem that tells us all possible Integer roots.